Forest Service

Directions to Access All-Terrain Vehicles (ATV) Information

Allegheny National Forest OHV/ATV Trail Information

Dial (814) 927-6628 Select option #2 for Customer Service Then select option #1 for Recreational Information

Then Select option #2 for ATV Information

Visit us at http://www.fs.usda.gov/allegheny Select recreation (left side of web site) ATV Condition Report (Left side of page)

Access Trail information via Web Site

Rules and Regulations

ATV Trails are open dependent on weather and trail conditions and are subject to close at any time.

Tentative opening: Friday before Memorial Day to the last Sunday in September, then open again December 20th to April 1st weather dependent.

- Helmets: All operators must wear an approved DOT safety helmet or Snell-approved helmet.
- **Proof of registration**: ATV must be registered with Pennsylvania DCNR or with a reciprocating state. Contact DCNR Harrisburg at 1-866-545-2476 with any questions. Registration must be carried on persons and be presented at time of permit purchase.
- **Proof of liability insurance**: Insurance must be carried on persons and be presented at time of permit purchase.
- **Permits:** Allegheny National Forest annual permits are \$35.00 and day permits \$10.00. Permits must be visible and permanently affixed to the left side of the machine or on handle bars of Bikes and ATVs
- **Dirt Bike operators**: Children 8-15 must be accompanied by an adult who is 18 years or older. Operator's safety course is **recommended** but not necessary. Children under 8 **are not** allowed to operate a dirt bike.
- ATV operators: Children 8-15 years of age must complete an ATV safety training course and be accompanied by an adult who is 18 or older. Contact DCNR Bureau of Forestry 717-783-7941 for further information on safety trainings or ATV Enrollment Express 1-800-887-2887. Certificate must be shown at time of purchase for annual or day permit and must be present on the operator.
- ATV operators: Children 8 and 9 years of age can only operate a 70cc size or smaller engine.
- **Booster seat:** Passengers under 8 years of age can only ride in a "Side-by-Side ATV" with an approved child safety seat. Any passenger less than 4 years of age, or weighing less than 40 lbs. or under 4'9 tall must use a child restraint device. Children between 4 and 7, weighing less than 80lbs. or under 4'9" must be fastened in an ATV seat belt system with the use of a booster seat.
- **Riding double:** In Pennsylvania, an ATV may carry a passenger if the ATV is equipped with a manufacture approved after-market seat. Hand holds and foot pegs are recommended.
- Camping: Permitted along all trails as long as equipment does not block trails. Machines must be left adjacent to the trail and not driven into the woods. Limited space for camping is located at the following trailheads: FR 395, FR 401, FR 521, Timberline, and Willow Creek. Camping is NOT permitted at the Rocky Gap, Pigs Ear, or Marienville trail heads.
- **Registration Class:** Class I ATV's are allowed on all trails. Class II ATV's (axle width of 50" or more and weighing over 1,000 lbs.) are **only** allowed on Timberline and Marienville ATV trails. Many gates and bridges along trails are only 60" wide.
- ATV's must be equipped with operating headlights and taillights when riding at night.





Hunting Season: ATV trails are closed during Muzzleloader, Archery, and Modern Firearms season.
If trails open as expected on December 20th, ATVs may be used to access areas along the ATV Trails during late Flintlock season.

It is Illegal to Operate an ATV

- On State or Forest Roads open for use by licensed motor vehicle or on non-established ATV trails.
- At the rate of speed that is unreasonable or improper under existing conditions or in excess of the maximum limits posted for vehicular traffic.
- In a careless way so as to endanger the person or property of another.
- While under the influence of alcohol, narcotics, or drugs. Zero tolerance enforcement policy.
- Without an approved DOT or Snell-approved helmet. Zero tolerance enforcement policy.

Accident Reports

Both parties involved in an accident must exchange information, including name, address, phone number, and ATV registration number. Accidents that result in the injury or death of any person(s) or property damage over \$100 must be reported in writing within seven days to the DCNR, Bureau of Forestry, P.O. Box 8552, Harrisburg PA 17105. Accident report forms are available from the Bureau of Forestry, US Forest Service office, State Park office, and State Police offices.

Where to Purchase Permits

Annual or Day ATV Permits can be purchased from any Allegheny National Forest Service office or private vendors listed below. Day permits may only be purchased three days in advance at a US Forest Service Office or vendors listed below. Annual Permits may be purchased through the mail. Visit www.fs.usda.gov/allegheny to access permit forms. Click passes and permits (left side of web site). Next click Eastern Region passes and permits. Then open Annual ATV/Trail Bike Permit. Fill out application and send a check or money order payable to USDA Forest Service. **NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED.** Send form and payment to USDA Forest Service, Bradford Ranger District, 29 Forest Service Drive, Bradford, PA 16071.

* PA law does not require DCNR registration, liability insurance or training certificates for dirt bikes. If filling out mail order form, list the year, make, and VIN number of the bike.

Vendor	Location	Hours	Phone
Supervisors Office	4 Farm Colony Drive	Monday - Friday	(814) 723-5150
	Warren, PA 16365	8 am - 4:30 pm	
Bradford Ranger Station	29 Forest Service Drive	Monday - Friday	(814) 362-4613
	Bradford, PA 16701	8am - 4:30 pm	
Marienville Ranger Station	131 Smokey Lane	Monday - Friday	(814) 927-6628
	Marienville, PA 16239	8 am - 4:30 pm	
Brookville Motorsports	1167 State Route 36	Closed Sun & Mon	(814) 849-0004
	Brookville, PA 15825	Tues, Thurs, Fri - 10am - 7pm	
		Wed - 10am - 5pm Sat - 9am - 3pm	
Forest Lodge and	44078 Route 66	Mon - Thurs - 8am - 6:30pm	(814) 927-8790
Campground	Marienville, PA 16239	Fri - 9am - 8pm Sat - 9am - 5pm	
		Sun - 9am - 4pm	
Leisure Time	729 East Columbus Ave	Call for Hours	(814) 664-4606
	Corry, PA 16407		
Russell City Store	1536 Route 66	Call for Hours	(814) 968-4415
	DE Young, PA 16728		